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SUBJ: PRAVDA SUPPORTS CYPRIOT AMNESTY

1. PRAVDA COMMENTARY BY N. BRAGIN (FEBRUARY 1) TAKES POSITIVE LINE ON RECENT CYPRIOT AMNESTY, BUT INDICATES CONTINUED VIGILANCE IS NECESSARY TO PROTECT CYPRIOT INDEPENDENCE AGAINST NATO MILITARY CIRCLES.

2. BRAGIN SAYS AMNESTY FOLLOWING DEATH OF GRIVAS OFFERS POSSIBILITY OF ENDING UNDERGROUND TERRORIST ACTIVITY. HOWEVER, HE REHASHES USUAL SOVIET CHARGE THAT GRIVAS MOVEMENT HAS ACTED AS FRONT FOR MILITARIST-MINDED NATO CIRCLES AND WAGED TERROR CAMPAIGN AT THEIR DICTATES AGAINST THOSE SUPPORTING CYPRIOT INDEPENDENCE, LIQUIDATION OF FOREIGN BASES AND PRESENCE OF FOREIGN FORCES. SINCE THERE ARE CONTRADICTIONARY PRESS REPORTS ABOUT WHETHER GRIVAS ORGANIZATION WILL CEASE ITS ACTIVITY, CYPRIOT PATRIOTS HAVE CALLED FOR VIGILANCE. REPORTING PROGRESSIVE LABOR PARTY DECLARATION ENDORSING

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MAKAIOS AMNESTY, BRAGIN CONCLUDES THAT CYPRIOT PEOPLE ARE

REAFFIRMING THEIR READINESS TO FOIL ATTEMPTS OF "IMPERIALIST
REACTION" TO INTERFERE IN CYPRIOT INTERNAL AFFAIRS. DUBS

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